

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2663

Docket No.: 1454.1118

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Horst MUELLER

Serial No. 09/980,487

Confirmation No. 5604

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 11, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to July 11, 2004.

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